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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1, immediately after the title, insert the following new paragraphs:

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The prior application(s) set forth above are hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 25, line 27, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Preferred examples of the at least one second substance are tissue inhibitor of metalloproteases (such as TIMP-1, TIMP-2, and TIMP-3), alpha-2-macroglobulin, Galardin™, -[2R-2-(hydroxamidocarbonylmethyl)-4-methylpentanoly]-L-tryptophan methylamide, batimastat, marimastat, Gl 129471, Gl 168, Gl 173, Gl 179, Gl 184, Cl-A, Cl-B, RP59794, SC-44463, Ro31-4724, CT1746, SCH 47890, a peptide hydroxamate (such as Pro-Leu-Gly-NHOH), LMHKPRCGVPDVGG (SEQ ID NO:1), TNF- α releasing protease inhibitor, Zincov®, Pro-Ileu, phosphoramidon, thiorphan, tiopronin, a tetracycline, N-acetylcysteine, EDTA, or 1,10 phenanthroline, i.e. known inhibitors of metalloproteases which may be used in

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vivo with acceptable toxicity. Further, various prodrugs of Galardin™ would also be interesting candidates.

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to provide a \$120 reference and to insert a sequence ID number.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made".

Respectfully submitted,

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